# Mountain Weather Forecast

## Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Friday 11 Jun 2021 until 23:59 on Saturday 12 Jun 2021

Forecast Issued on Friday 11 Jun 2021 at 04:00

**Confidence:** High for occasionally cloudy but mainly dry.

**Headline for Friday 11 Jun 2021:** Mainly dry with brighter spells increasing. Strong summit winds.

**Mountain weather hazards on Friday 11 Jun 2021**

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|---|---|---|
| **Blizzards**<br>No Likelihood | **Heavy Snow**<br>No Likelihood | **Storm force winds**<br>No Likelihood |
| **Gales**<br>Low Likelihood | **Severe chill effect**<br>No Likelihood | **Poor visibility**<br>Low Likelihood |
| **Thunderstorms**<br>No Likelihood | **Heavy persistent rain**<br>No Likelihood | **Strong sunlight**<br>Medium Likelihood |

| **Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m** | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Time | | | | | |
| 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 |
| | | | | | |
| Cloudy | Sunny intervals | Sunny intervals | Sunny intervals | Sunny intervals | Cloudy |
| Precipitation probability | | | | | |
| 20% | 10% | 10% | 10% | <05% | <05% |

**Forecast for Friday 11 Jun 2021**

**Weather:** Rather cloudy start but soon becoming brighter with sunny spells increasing through the day, and while most places remain dry, the odd light shower is possible.

**Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m:** 60% increasing 95% plus from late morning.

**Visibility:** Good or very good, lowering moderate briefly in showers, also very poor in early hill fog with bases initially broken from 600-900m becoming well scattered from late morning.

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**Forecast for Friday 11 Jun 2021**

| Height (m) | Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from) | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **600** | 24/34 W | 23/34 W | 20/30 W | 17/26 W | 16/24 NW | 15/21 NW | 19/27 NW |
| **300** | 12/23 W | 15/26 W | 14/24 W | 12/21 W | 11/19 NW | 9/16 NW | 10/19 NW |
| **Valley** | 9/22 W | 12/25 W | 12/23 W | 10/21 W | 9/18 NW | 8/15 NW | 8/17 NW |

| Height (m) | Temperature / Feels Like (°C) | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **600** | 10/6 | 10/6 | 11/7 | 12/9 | 12/9 | 9/6 | 7/3 |
| **300** | 13/10 | 13/10 | 14/12 | 15/13 | 14/12 | 12/10 | 9/7 |
| **Valley** | 14/12 | 14/12 | 16/13 | 17/15 | 16/14 | 13/11 | 10/8 |
| **Freezing Level*** | 1800m | 2100m | 2000m | 2000m | 2000m | 1800m | 1600m |

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

**Meteorologist's View**

Brisk winds across highest peaks early to mid-morning with gusts reaching 40-45mph at times. Strong afternoon sunshine bringing risk of sunburn in exposure.

**Forecast for Saturday 12 Jun 2021**

**Weather:** Good bright and sunny spells through the morning, turning more limited through the afternoon as higher cloud thickens from the west, bringing a small chance of some patchy light rain from midnight.

**Maximum wind:** West to southwest 15-20mph with gusts reaching 30mph over most exposed ridges and summits.

**Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m:** 95% lowering during evening to 70%.

**Visibility:** Generally good or very good, lowering moderate or poor briefly in any later patchy rain, also very poor in hill fog, chiefly during the evening as bases become scattered to broken from 700m.

**Temperature:** **Valleys:** Plus 10 Celsius rising 19 Celsius during the afternoon
**At 700m:** Plus 6-8 Celsius rising 11-13 Celsius from mid-afternoon
**Freezing level:** 1600m rising 2200m

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